

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Jan Jacob Wouter LAGENDIJK et al. Conf.:
Appl. No.: New Group:
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For: DEVICE FOR IMAGE GUIDED AUTOMATED
INSERTION OF AN ELONGATED AN ELONGATED
HOLLOW NEEDLE TO A DESIRED LOCATION IN AN
ANIMAL BODY FOR EFFECTING RADIATION
THERAPY OF CANCEROUS TISSUE.

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 5, 2003

Sir:

The following preliminary amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

THIS AMENDMENT INCLUDES:

Amendments to the Specification, beginning at page 2.